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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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STATES TO PLUG-IN  
UNIT STATES

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF  
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of April 24, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.